

Franklin County Court March Term 1844

A writing purporting to be the last will and testament of James O'Hannon dec'd was produced in Court and was sworn to by the oath of Ellen F. Mearns & John J. O'Brien the subscribers who testified to be the persons who were present when the same is truly recorded in my office

A. H. Kenrick C. J. C.

Richardson  
John P

In the name of God Amen I John D. Richardson do make this my last will and testament. It is my will that all my just debts be paid. It is my will that all my just debts have been paid that my beloved wife Lucy Richardson shall have the possession of my property to use as she may think proper during her natural life or widowhood and I will that after the death of my wife that my son James A. Richardson have my negro man Garrison and that my daughter Eliza Jane Vaughan have my negro girl Julia Ann to make them equal with my other children to whom I have bequeathed my property. It is my will that the real estate of my wife that all my property for my kindred to whom I have bequeathed or may be bequeathed of the same be divided between them in equal portions which are to go to my dear children between the several public auction to the highest bidder and the proceeds thereof be equally divided between all my children. It is my will that I do hereby bequeath my son James A. Richardson the executor of this my last will & testament. Witness my hand & seal this 11th day of March 1844

Lewis Fried  
Ellen Fox

John D. Richardson (C)

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A writing purporting to be the last will and testament of John D. Richardson was produced in Court and was sworn to by the oath of Lewis Fried & Ellen Fox the subscribers who testified to be the persons who were present when the same is truly recorded in my office

A. H. Kenrick C. J. C.

Pellam

In the name of God Amen I Cyrus Pellam of Franklin County State of Kentucky being law & sound of mind do hereby certify that I have read and examined the last will and testament in manner and form following to wit: I give unto my son Zachariah O. Pellam the tract of land being a part of the farm on which I now live the same I purchased of George O. Pellam and Elizabeth his wife Hezekiah M. Pellam and Jane his wife Catherine Pellam and Joseph Deane Pellam together Garrison M. Pellam and Milton O. Pellam have and representatives of Zachariah Pellam dec'd which dec'd is of record in the Franklin County Court Office. I also give unto my son Zachariah O. Pellam the tract of land adjoining the farm on which I now reside containing about four acres on the South side of the old Lexington road, the same dec'd to me by Lewis P. Meyer. I also give unto my son Zachariah O. Pellam a negro girl named Anaxa purchased by me from George Chapman being of the big room, the calf in the big room, two young hogs, two black lambs, two Canada ducks, two parson's stands, two chickens, one dozen of eggs from them three hundred cornmeal, two white ducks four wooden ware blankets one grey mare white horse one bay horse Colt called Toppanco together with a copy book of letters, keys and things to him and his heirs forever. I give unto my son Edward Pellam

perpetual home and his heirs forever. I also give unto my son Edward Pellam the executor of this my last will and testament. Witness my hand & seal this 31st day of January 1844  
Signed in presence of  
Cyrus Pellam  
Andrew Taylor  
Ed Brown

Franklin County Court March Term 1844

A writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Cyrus Pellam dec'd was produced in Court and was sworn to by the oath of Andrew Taylor & Ed Brown the subscribers who testified to be the persons who were present when the same is truly recorded in my office

A. H. Kenrick C. J. C.

Sharp C. J.

It is my will to make a testamentary disposition of my estate I being of sound mind and State of Kentucky do hereby declare and publish this to be my last will and testament and give effect thereto in the first place it is my will and desire that all my just debts be paid and satisfied in full. Secondly I will and desire that my other children should have and be in possession of my estate as the law directs during her life and at her death if any part remain she shall be equal to her share of my children she chooses should my mother not survive me then the estate of my house held and be in possession is to be equally divided between my three children John D. Sharp, Jane Miller and Abner P. Sharp. Thirdly I will and desire my father's estate of my negro girl called Johnson of Brown for my share that each of my sons shall be bound with an amount of money as they shall elect as a compensation of me. I give to my dear wife Elizabeth the interest of my mother in the event of her not surviving me. I give the said property to my father with all of his land and house my great wealth and the appendages of my father's estate. I give to my dear son John D. Sharp the interest of her share of L. J. Sharp and to be in possession of the said share of my dear husband from the most valued articles than to be bequeathed to John D. Sharp the portion of my dear son and Sarah Ann to be in possession of one of the mother's shares.

Lastly I will and desire that all my real estate and personal property of my estate with the interest of my wife be bequeathed to my son John D. Sharp and to be in possession of the same divided between my three children John D. Sharp, Jane Miller and Abner P. Sharp. With the request to my dear son to be in possession of my estate during the minority of my two sons and until they are of age. I do declare and approve and ratify of this my last will and testament to be in possession of my executor of this my last will. In testimony whereof I have signed and affixed my hand and seal this 31st day of January 1844.

Eliza T. Sharp (C)

Correct

I request my children to maintain their mother and their mother's share of her estate as long as she shall desire that a certain portion of my share be paid to her as long as she shall desire.

Franklin County Court February Term 1844

A writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Cyrus Pellam dec'd was produced in Court and was sworn to by the oath of Andrew Taylor & Ed Brown the subscribers who testified to be the persons who were present when the same is truly recorded in my office

April the 20<sup>th</sup> day 1843. This being Seamus Will  
 James Green is being his former owner. The said Seamus  
 have his former owner. When he has been. When he has been  
 when the last. The money to remain in John Green's hands as my  
 wife Sarah Green's for her support and for her child John Green is being, at the  
 hour in bed or under on with their part. William Green is being my former owner  
 Larkin Chubb  
 James Green

George Green

Franklin County, Court May Term 1844

Having perused the Will and Testament of George Green deceased  
 to have been proven by the oath of Larkin Chubb of James Green of Larkin Chubb  
 and entered to a record. Wherein the same is being recorded in my office

A. H. Fenwick C. J. C.

Peter Green

I Peter Green of the County of Franklin being of sound mind and memory  
 but of weak mind and memory have thought proper to make this my last will &  
 Testament in manner and form following that to wit. I do desire that immediately  
 after my decease my love hereafter named shall sell so much of my personal property  
 as shall be of value sufficient to pay all my just debts and funeral expenses

And I give my debt unpaid I give and bequeath unto my daughter Fanny Green one  
 half of my estate of every kind whether real or personal or mixed to be held and enjoyed  
 by her during her life time and after her death to be equally divided between her children

And I give to my wife and my sister Fanny Green the remaining half of my  
 estate of every kind whether real or personal or mixed to be held and enjoyed  
 for during her life time and after death to be equally divided between her children  
 And lastly I appoint my friend Samuel W. Beckin as my executor & do  
 bequeath to him my friends may not be required to give security for the  
 performance of the trust hereby conferred upon and hereby revoking all other former  
 wills or Testaments by me made. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my  
 hand and seal this 10<sup>th</sup> day of April 1844

Signed & sealed in presence of  
 N. D. Beckin  
 Lydia Beckin

Peter Green

Franklin County, Court June Term 1844

A Will being perused the last will and Testament of Peter Green deceased  
 was proven in Court and was proven by the oath of N. D. Beckin the said will  
 and Testament being read to the Court & entered to a record. Wherein the same is being recorded in my office

A. H. Fenwick C. J. C.

Susan Trigg

In the name of God Amen, I Susan Trigg of the County of Franklin and State of  
 Kentucky, being weak in body, but of sound mind and disposing memory, do hereby  
 make this my last will and Testament in these words, to wit: I do desire that immediately  
 after my decease my love hereafter named shall sell so much of my personal property  
 as shall be of value sufficient to pay all my just debts and funeral expenses  
 And I give my debt unpaid I give and bequeath unto my daughter Fanny Green one  
 half of my estate of every kind whether real or personal or mixed to be held and enjoyed  
 by her during her life time and after her death to be equally divided between her children

and Susan Trigg of the County of Franklin and State of Kentucky, being weak in body, but of sound mind and disposing memory, do hereby make this my last will and Testament in these words, to wit: I do desire that immediately after my decease my love hereafter named shall sell so much of my personal property as shall be of value sufficient to pay all my just debts and funeral expenses And I give my debt unpaid I give and bequeath unto my daughter Fanny Green one half of my estate of every kind whether real or personal or mixed to be held and enjoyed by her during her life time and after her death to be equally divided between her children

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 10<sup>th</sup> day of April 1844  
 Susan Trigg

Franklin County, Court June Term 1844

Having perused the last will and Testament of Susan Trigg deceased  
 in Court and was proven by the oath of C. J. Fenwick the said will and Testament  
 being read to the Court & entered to a record. Wherein the same is being recorded in my office  
 Susan Trigg deceased a copy

A. H. Fenwick C. J. C.

William Green

In the name of God Amen, I George Willson of the County of Franklin and State of  
 Kentucky, being weak in body, but of sound mind and disposing memory, do hereby  
 make this my last will and Testament in these words, to wit: I do desire that immediately  
 after my decease my love hereafter named shall sell so much of my personal property  
 as shall be of value sufficient to pay all my just debts and funeral expenses  
 And I give my debt unpaid I give and bequeath unto my daughter Fanny Green one  
 half of my estate of every kind whether real or personal or mixed to be held and enjoyed  
 by her during her life time and after her death to be equally divided between her children